



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of : **Confirmation No. 4332**  
Katsushige AMANO et al. : Attorney Docket No. 2003\_1916A  
Serial No. 10/750,852 : Group Art Unit 2195  
Filed January 5, 2004 : Examiner Kenneth Tang  
  
PROCESS SCHEDULING APPARATUS, : **Mail Stop: Amendment**  
PROCESS SCHEDULING METHOD,  
PROGRAM FOR PROCESS  
SCHEDULING, AND STORAGE  
MEDIUM RECORDING A PROGRAM  
FOR PROCESS SCHEDULING  
(AS AMENDED HEREIN)

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**AMENDMENT**

Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

In response to the Office Action of October 5, 2007, kindly amend the above-referenced U.S. patent application as follows:

**AMENDMENTS TO THE TITLE**

Kindly replace the original title with the following title.

-- PROCESS SCHEDULING APPARATUS, PROCESS SCHEDULING METHOD,  
PROGRAM FOR PROCESS SCHEDULING, AND STORAGE MEDIUM  
RECORDING A PROGRAM FOR PROCESS SCHEDULING--